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APPLICANT: DROST ET AL -2 (PCT)
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FOR: METHOD FOR PRODUCING UV POLARIZERS

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO
FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated August 20, 2003, with the time for reply having been extended for one month, from NOVEMBER 20, 2003, until DECEMBER 20, 2003, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on Page 2 of this document.

Amendments to the Claims begin on Page 8 of this document.

The Remarks portion begins on Page 15 of this document.